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August 30, 2005

Ms. Mary Johnson  
Deputy Courtroom Clerk  
to the Honorable Richard G. Stearns  
United States District Court  
District of Massachusetts  
John J. Moakley U.S. Courthouse  
1 Courthouse Way, Suite 2300  
Boston, MA 02210

Re: United States v. Thomas Burke  
Criminal No. 05-10210-RGS

Dear Ms. Johnson:

The defendant, Thomas Burke, was arrested today on a warrant issued by Judge Richard G. Stearns relative to a probation violation petition. The defendant had an initial appearance before Magistrate Judge Judith G. Dein today, where he waived a preliminary hearing on the underlying petition. Additionally, in lieu of detention, the defendant also agreed, and Magistrate Judge Dein so ordered, that the defendant attend a 90-day alcohol/drug treatment program at Highpoint Treatment Center in Plymouth, MA, pending a final revocation hearing.

Magistrate Judge Dein also instructed the government to contact you to schedule a final revocation hearing. I am, therefore, writing to request that a final revocation status hearing be scheduled for the week of November 7, 2005, in the late afternoon, preferably on November 7<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 p.m., as defense counsel has another matter pending at the federal court that day.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Very truly yours,

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